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SAW BIG FREIGHTER MEET TITANIC'S FATE

CREW OF NORWEGIAN STEAMER
ROMSHEL TELLS OF WIT-
NESSING TRAGEDY.

ICE BERGS PREVENT GIVING AID

Holes Were Rammed in Hull When
Romsbel Attempted to
Give Aid.

New York, Apr. 25—Special to the Telegraph—Officers of the Norwegian steamer Romsbel, which arrived here today and which went into drydock, state that they believe they witnessed the sinking of a large freighter about 400 miles north of the place where the Titanic went to her grave.

Rammed By Icebergs.
The officers of the Romsbel say that the identity of the sunken ship is unknown, but that they believe it struck an iceberg, as when they endeavored to give aid with the Romsbel, in response to a call for help, their ship was struck by an iceberg and had several holes rammed into its hull.

THE JURY FAILED TO AGREE

EIGHT HOURS' DELIBERATION
FAILED TO SETTLE INSUR-
ANCE CASE.

In the case of W. R. Parker et al vs. the American Patriots, which was given to the jury yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, the jury returned last night at 7 o'clock and brought in a verdict of disagreement. The case is over a claim by six officers of the defunct order, the Fraternal Parliament, against the American Patriots for \$850 which they claim is due them for their influence in having the members that had been in their order transfer their policies to the Patriots. The defense claimed that no such agreement had been entered into.

SAY AUTOMOBILES ARE MENACE

SOME PEORIA AVENUE RESI-
DENTS PLAN PROSECUTION
OF SPEED FIENDS.

Numerous complaints concerning the speed at which automobiles travel on Peoria avenue have been heard within the past two or three weeks, and it is reported that some of the residents on the street are preparing to catch the time some of the drivers consume in making a certain distance and then have them prosecuted for violation of the speed law. The objectors point out that the automobiles, some of which they claim travel on Peoria avenue at a rate of 25 to 40 miles an hour, in addition to creating an exceptionally large amount of dust, are a constant menace to the hundreds of school children, some of them very small, who have to cross that street each day.

PASTOR WANTS POLICE JOB

CANTON MINISTER SAYS HE WILL
CLEAN UP TOWN IF
CHIEF.

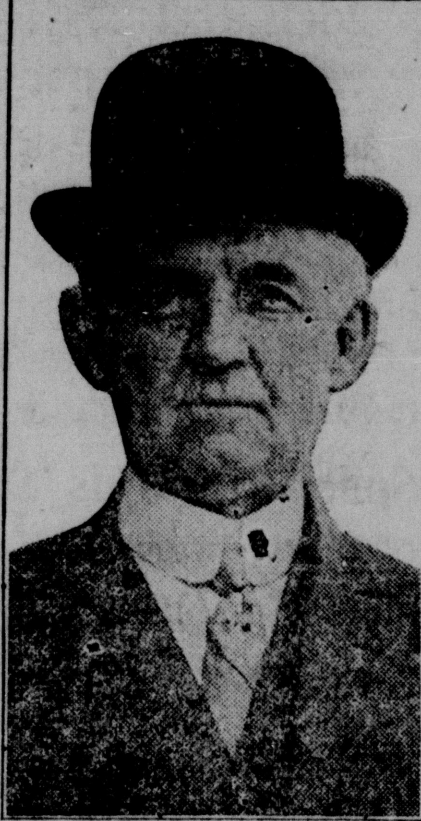
Canton, Apr. 24—Rev. W. T. Keshinger of the United Brethren church of this city has filed application for the position of chief of police with Mayor Fox, whose appointees will be named on the first Tuesday in May. The minister says he would like to have a chance to clean up the town. He intends to retain his pulpit and says he can handle both positions satisfactorily.

The mayor hasn't announced his appointments, but it is understood that another man is slated for the position of police chief.

Gilbert Haught of Chicago is visiting his sister, Mrs. Sumner Eastwood.

Oscar Young is ill at the Nachusa House.

NEWELL SANDERS.



Mr. Sanders has just been sworn as United States senator from Tennessee, having been appointed by the governor to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator Taylor.

NEW OFFICERS FOR FAMOUS FISH CLUB

LOCAL ORGANIZATION INTENDS
TO KEEP BAITS ON HAND
AT ALL TIMES.

During the fishing season the general public will watch with interest the workings of the famous Madison-Monroe Avenue Fishing Club. The club is an actual organization and has a good sized membership. The purpose of the club in the main is to keep a good supply of bait on hand all season so that the shortage of this most necessary stuff, which makes fishermen lose their religion and dispositions, will be avoided. Officers have been elected and things will be conducted from now on in a business-like manner. The officers of the club and members are: Harry Wheeler, president; Jos. W. Staples, secretary; Rev. A. B. Whitcombe, treasurer; W. G. Kent, P. A. Lennon, J. Krug, J. Hetler, W. A. Schuler, Fred Hammarstrom, James Akeman, Webster Poole, H. Freeland, R. Anderson, Walter Fritz, Dr. C. A. Robbins, Joe Hawse and Frank Vaughan.

BALES ORGANIZES BALL TEAM

WILL COMPETE IN CLINTON CITY
LEAGUE—WANTS TWO
PLAYERS.

Mont Bales, formerly of Dixon, is organizing a ball team in the Clinton, Iowa, city league and has written here in an effort to secure a good fast second baseman or shortstop. This league plays Sunday ball and a player from here who can make good can get a steady berth for each Sunday during the season.

SPEAKER FOR GRADUATION

PROF. FRANK J. MILLER OF U.
OF C. SECURED BY NORTH
DIXON SCHOOL.

Prof. Frank J. Miller of the University of Chicago, will be speaker for the North Dixon high school commencement, to be held Thursday evening, June 6. Prof. Miller in addition to being a prominent educator and lecturer, is editor of the Classical Journal, published under the direction of the Classical Association of the Middle West and South.

FRANK REED SAYS HIS HORSE DID NOT RUN AWAY

Frank Reed, who resides east of this city, states that the report of his recent mishap must have been greatly exaggerated by the Telegraph's informant in that his horse, which was frightened by a passing auto truck, did not run away but merely shied into a pole and broke the thills. He says that Mrs. Reed did not leap out of the buggy and the horses did not get away from him.

ORATORICAL CONTEST TO BE HELD HERE

NINE SCHOOLS TO SEND REPRESENTATIVES TO DIXON NEXT
THURSDAY NIGHT.

SHOULD PROVE OF INTEREST

Meet Is Under Auspices of the North
Dixon Schools—No Admis-
sion Charged.

The University of Illinois oratorical contest for the second district of the state will be held in the Presbyterian church in Dixon a week from tonight, Thursday, May 2, under the auspices of the North Dixon school, and as the event is one of exceptional educational importance, it is expected that it will prove of great interest.

These contests, which are held annually in May at different places throughout the state, are always of educational value and eagerly sought after by the different cities in the district, inasmuch as they bring to the city many out of town competitors and school officials.

Nine Schools Represented
The contest here will be in two divisions; one of extempore speeches of five minutes duration each, and the other in memorized orations, limited to one thousand words. The competing schools here will be Rockford, Freeport, Sycamore, Ashton, Galva, Moline, Princeton, Oswego and Oregon.

The representatives of these nine schools will be chosen, or have already been chosen, at preliminary contests; and thus it is assured that those who take part here will be the very best in the various educational institutions. Many schools are taking up public speaking, and thus the young people of the high schools of the state are more thoroughly allying themselves with the state university at Urbana.

Final Meet at Urbana.
Following the district contests, an annual oratorical contest is to be held at the university, at which the successful contestants of the district meets will compete. At this final contest three medals will be given as prizes for excellence in the preparation and delivery of original orations; and in addition a silver cup, the property of the university, will be given into the custody of the winning school, the cup to remain in that school for one year, or until some other school wins first place in the annual contest.

Musical Numbers Also.
To add variety to the program of next Thursday evening it has been arranged to have the chorus of the North Dixon high school appear in two numbers. There will be no admission charged to the contest and as a cordial invitation is extended to the public, the church auditorium should be packed.

COMPLETED FINAL EXAMINATIONS

LAST OF QUIZZES HAS BEEN GIV-
EN—TEACHERS' EXAM.
THIS WEEK.

Final examinations of the district schools of the county were completed yesterday. Superintendent L. W. Miller is today going over the papers. He finds some very creditable work on the part of most of the students.

The regular quarterly teachers' examinations will be held Friday and Saturday at the county superintendent's office.

AUTOISTS STAY HERE ALL NIGHT

DENVER MOTOR ENTHUSIASTS
ENGAGE QUARTERS AT
NACHUSA HOUSE.

Thirty-six members of the Denver, Col., Automobile club, will go from Denver to Indianapolis to attend the automobile races and whose intended stop in Dixon was announced in last evening's edition of the Telegraph, will remain in this city the night of May 24th, the Nachusa house having received orders for accommodations for that many.

HOUSE ADVANCES FOUR SENATE BILLS

MEASURES CARRYING \$188,000
ADVANCED TO THIRD
READING.

Springfield, Apr. 25—Special to Telegraph—The second special session of the house this morning advanced to second reading the following senate bills, and then adjourned until 10 a. m. Wednesday, May 8:

Bill appropriating \$120,000 for the Soils and Survey Agricultural experiment station of the College of Agriculture at Urbana.

Bill appropriating \$45,000 for repairs to the dome building at the state fair grounds.

Bill appropriating \$20,000 to repair the dome and roof of the state house.

Bill appropriating \$3,750 for pay of employees of special session.

The third special session of the house met and adjourned until 5 p. m., Wednesday, May 8.

NEGRO LYNCHED IN LOUISIANA

TROOPS ORDERED TO DELHI TO
STOP ANY FURTHER
OUTBREAKS.

Monroe, La., April 25—Special to Telegraph—A company of the Louisiana National Guard left here today for Delhi, 30 miles east of this city, where trouble between the whites and negroes developed last night, resulting in the lynching of a negro. Further disorder is expected.

TO MEET AT NORMAL SCHOOL

NORTHERN ILLINOIS SUPERIN-
TENDENTS AND PRINCIPALS
WILL HAVE ANNUAL SESSION.

The Northern Illinois Superintendents' and Principals' annual meeting will be held at DeKalb May 3 and 4. The program arranged is one of much interest and the attendance will be large. The various schools of DeKalb are to make exhibits of their work and there are also to be other special features connected with the program.

Baseball Results

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Chicago . . . 3 . . . 500 Cleveland . . . 5 . . . 500
Boston . . . 3 . . . 435 St. Louis . . . 5 . . . 435
Philadelphia . . . 3 . . . 425 Detroit . . . 4 . . . 364
Washington . . . 3 . . . 425 N. York . . . 1 . . . 125

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Cubs . . . W. L. P. C. Clubs . . . W. L. P. C.
Cincinnati . . . 3 . . . 478 Pittsburgh . . . 4 . . . 444
N. York . . . 6 . . . 567 St. Louis . . . 4 . . . 409
Philadelphia . . . 4 . . . 590 Chicago . . . 3 . . . 375
St. Paul . . . 5 . . . 590 Brooklyn . . . 3 . . . 363

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
Columb's . . . 11 . . . 346 Kan. City . . . 5 . . . 417
Toledo . . . 7 . . . 436 Louisville . . . 4 . . . 354
St. Paul . . . 8 . . . 515 Milwaukee . . . 4 . . . 364
Minneapolis . . . 5 . . . 528 Indianapolis . . . 2 . . . 382

CENTRAL LEAGUE.
S. Bend . . . 1 . . . 1000 Tre Haute . . . 1 . . . 600
Wheeling . . . 1 . . . 1000 Zanesville . . . 1 . . . 600
Springfield . . . 1 . . . 1000 Dayton . . . 1 . . . 600
Wayne . . . 1 . . . 1000 G. Rapids . . . 1 . . . 600
Ypsilanti . . . 1 . . . 1000 Akron . . . 1 . . . 600
Canton . . . 1 . . . 1000 Erie . . . 1 . . . 600

WESTERN LEAGUE.
St. Joe . . . 4 . . . 1000 S. City . . . 2 . . . 500
Topeka . . . 4 . . . 1000 M. Moines . . . 4 . . . 323
Wichita . . . 4 . . . 1000 Omaha . . . 2 . . . 400
Denver . . . 3 . . . 1000 Lincoln . . . 5 . . . 600

Wednesday's Results.
AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Cleveland, 1; Chicago, 6.
Boston, 2; Washington, 5.
St. Louis, 9; Detroit, 5.
New York, 0; Philadelphia, 7.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Chicago, St. Louis, no game scheduled.
Philadelphia, 4; New York, 11 (7 innings).
Cincinnati-Pittsburgh, game postponed on account of rain.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
Columbus, 2; Minneapolis, 2.
Toledo, 5; St. Paul, 7.
Indianapolis, 5; Milwaukee, 12.
Louisville, 0; Kansas City, 1.

CENTRAL LEAGUE.
Terre Haute, 5; South Bend, 7.
Youngstown, 5; Zanesville, 3.
Dayton, 3; Fort Wayne, 5.
Springfield, 5; Grand Rapids, 2.
Akron, 5; Wheeling, 7.
Erie, 2; Canton, 3.

WESTERN LEAGUE.
Wichita, 6; Denver, 2.
Omaha, 6; Des Moines, 2.
Topeka, 4; Lincoln, 2.
St. Joe, 5; Sioux City, 5 (ten innings).

JUNIOR BALL PLAYERS MEET TOMORROW P. M.

All of the junior baseball players are requested to meet at the Y. tomorrow afternoon at four.

E. L. Hunt and A. E. Milmore were here yesterday from Rockford on business.

FREE LECTURE ON TEETH AND HEALTH

DR. J. P. BUCKLEY OF CHICAGO
TO SPEAK AT OPERA HOUSE
TOMORROW AFTERNOON.

STEP IN STATEWIDE CAMPAIGN

Parents, Teachers and Children Are
Being Educated in This Important
Subject.

Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the Dixon opera house there will be a free lecture that will be of special interest to citizens of Dixon. The members of the board of education, who are ever alert to all things that pertain to the welfare of pupils of the Dixon schools, have arranged to let the high school pupils and some of the grade students go to the opera house in a body at the time stated, to hear the lecture by Dr. J. P. Buckley of Chicago on "Teeth and Health."

This is the beginning of a statewide campaign in the interests of oral hygiene. In Joliet, Rockford, Champaign and other towns there have been enthusiastic meetings held and it is believed that Dixon will not be lacking in this work.

Dr. Buckley is a professor in the Chicago Dental college and is widely known among 1700 members of the State Dental society and is qualified to give an interesting and instructive address.

The oral hygiene campaign being waged in Illinois and other states is a movement for sound teeth and clean, healthy mouths. The lecturer will tell why these factors play such an important role in the conservation of general health. Decay of teeth is the most prevalent of all dental diseases and is a preventable disease. How it is produced and the simple and effective means and methods of its prevention will be discussed.

Many facts will be given to show why parents and school authorities should be interested in the campaign for a better and more healthful life on the part of the children, the future citizens of our nation.

Parents are urged to attend this lecture, which will be free to all.

PEARSE TO TRAIN AT AURORA

WILL TAKE STRING OF FIFTEEN
RACE HORSES THERE
TONIGHT.

Frank Pearse leaves tonight for Aurora with a carload of race horses for the season's training. There are about fifteen horses in the string. Mr. Pearse will work at the track in that city. The horses are being shipped on the Northwestern via Geneva.

BACCALAUREATE BY REV. STONE

PASTOR OF METHODIST CHURCH
TO PREACH TO N. D. H. S.
GRADUATES.

Arrangements were completed this morning by Prof. H. V. Baldwin of the North Dixon schools and Rev. F. D. Stone, pastor of the M. E. church, which insure Rev. Stone preaching the baccalaureate sermon to the graduates of the North Dixon school at the Methodist church on Sunday, June 2nd.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

705 feet above sea level.

Above data furnished by H. R. Spafford, assistant chief engineer of the Illinois Central Railroad Company.

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitation are taken at 7 o'clock each morning and are for the preceding 24 hours:

Sunday . . . 62 . . . 4104
Monday . . . 65 . . . 4215
Thursday . . . 69 . . . 57

Chicago, Apr. 25—The weather forecast for the next twenty-four hours: Rain tonight in the northern portion. Tomorrow fair and cooler.

DR. STRATTON D. BROOKS



Dr. Brooks has resigned the superintendency of the Boston schools to become president of the Oklahoma State university at a reduced salary, because it has been his life's ambition to build up a great university.

DIXON STARS OPEN GAME SUNDAY P.M.

WILL MEET STERLING INDIANS
ON ATHLETIC PARK
DIAMOND.

The Dixon Stars will open their season next Sunday afternoon, when a Athletic park they will meet their strong rivals of last season, the Sterling Indians. The Stars will present a much faster team than the had at any time last year and their new suits, which will be placed on exhibition in Valle & O'Malley's windows Friday, will add to their popularity. Their schedule as arranged this far, is:

April 28—Sterling Indians at Dixon.
May 5—Freeport at Dixon
May 12—Mendota at Mendota
May 19—Freeport at Freeport
May 26—Franklin Grove here
May 30—Franklin Grove at Franklin Grove.
June 2—Morrison here.
June 9—Rochelle at Rochelle
June 16—Sandwich at Sandwich
June 30—Morrison at Morrison.
July 2—Geneva at Geneva
July 4—Plano at Plano.

Mrs. George DeLand will leave on Friday for Waterloo, Ia., where she will join her husband, who is manager of the Interstate Coal and Ice company. Later they will move their household goods to Waterloo and make that city their permanent home. Dixon friends regret the going away of Mr. and Mrs. DeLand.

COMMITTEES NAMED FOR MEMORIAL DAY

DIXON G. A. R. PLANS BIG CELE-
BRATION ON DECORATION
DAY, MAY 30.

SONS OF VETERANS TO HELP

Committee From Younger Organiza-
tion Will Assist the
Boys in Blue.

As was forecasted in this paper last week, the G. A. R. commenced preparations for Memorial day at their meeting this week, and the committees which were then appointed are now at work on the details for a big celebration of the sad day, May 30. It is planned to make the coming celebration one of the biggest of its kind Dixon has ever had, and with the assistance of the Sons of Veterans it is thought the arrangements can be easily managed.

At their next meeting the Sons of Veterans will appoint committees to assist the following from the G. A. R.:

Speaker and Invitations—George T. Loveland, C. H. Noble, Henry Decker.

Program and Printing—L. W. Mitchell.

Reception—A. C. Bardwell, Col. Thos. Morgan and Col. O. J. Downing.

Floral—S. S. Dodge, W. G. McGinnis, J. H. Buffett, Henry Decker, H.artzell, with power to act.

Marshall of the Day—James H. Thompson.

Grounds and Decorations—H. J. Cook, H. Squires, T. J. Miller.

Marking Graves—J. T. Reed, S. Ioon, H. W. Woody, O. Coltrin.

Speakers' Stand and Seating—E. Vernick, J. H. Stewart, John Beahen Jacob May.

Closing Business Houses—O. J. Downing, C. H. Noble, G. C. Loveand.

Firing Squad—J. T. Reed, S. Miller, H. Bremmer, S. Hoon, A. Welde, H. W. Woodyatt, C. I. Will.

FORMER BELL PHONE MANAGER HERE TO WORK

Harry Terry of Moline arrived last evening and will work out of Dixon for a week or more, in the interests of the Moline Plow company. Mr. Terry was formerly manager of the Bell telephone exchange here and has many old friends in Dixon.

LOCAL MEN GO TO GENESEO FOR INSPECTION

Leslie Squires left last night for Geneseo to attend the annual inspection of the Sixth Regiment hospital corps. Major Young, who is the head of the corps, lives in Geneseo, thus making that place his headquarters. Everett Smith left today to attend the same inspection.

Whiteside County Good Roads Committee Meet

That other counties are also interested in the proposed Transcontinental National Highway, which it is hoped can be brought through Dixon, is shown by the following from the Sterling Gazette:

Whiteside county good roads enthusiasts gathered at the city hall on Tuesday evening in response to a call issued by W. J. Doherty, vice president for Whiteside county of the Illinois Transcontinental Route association. It was unanimously decided to affiliate with the association and to organize the towns and counties along the lines laid down in the constitution of the association.

Morrison Men Here.
A large delegation from Morrison was present, among them being Judge F. D. Ramsay, Lou Woods, Sherman Collins, E. A. Smith and M. H. Potter and others. Vice President Graham of Ogle county was also present. The meeting was called to order by W. J. Doherty, who presided and short addresses on the subject of good roads were made by Treasurer E. A. Smith of the state association, Vice President Graham of Ogle coun-

ty, Mayor J. W. McDonald, J. T. Summers, Judge Frank Ramsay, W. P. Utley, Frank Heffebower, Fred M. Coe, Dr. M. J. Hill and others. All were enthusiastic. Mayor McDonald struck a popular chord when he asserted that such an association should not be alone for automobilists, inasmuch as no man appreciated good roads more than did the farmer and no man was more willing to assist in building them than was the farmer. Mr. Summers also hit from the shoulder by asserting that some enthusiasts would have to give more time and money than others and that he was willing to be one of those who did so.

Join With Iowa.
It is proposed to work on a transcontinental road, Illinois to maintain the road between Clinton and Chicago. In Iowa the road is already in excellent shape, having been worked two years. It is also suggested that steps be taken toward securing more favorable legislation and, if possible, country superintendents of roads.

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

BIRTHDAY HOROSCOPES.

April 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18.

Are fond of society and not averse to making a show. Are not fond of hard work, but had rather direct. Weigh everything before you adopt or enter into it. Want home happy. Have great scientific ability; quick in thought and action, secretive and a good planner. You are a great lover of home. You calculate closely, and count the cost before starting.

April 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24.

Have moods of happiness and unhappiness. Sympathies expand and contract to conditions. Need much love, and give much. Can stand some flattery, and can get very angry. Have a great love for the mysterious; strong scientific learning. Are insatiable in your desire for knowledge. Are fond of home, and affectionate. Also fond of travel, particularly on water.

Dance at Walton.

There will be a dance in Walton next Friday evening. Everybody is invited and a good time is assured all. There will be good music and a supper will be served.

W. R. C. Sewing Bee

The W. R. C. held an all day sewing session Tuesday at the hall. As usual something extra had been planned for the pleasure of the members. The ladies remembering that Mrs. Genevieve Stewart, a charter member, and past chaplain, celebrated her 63rd birthday Tuesday, had a delightful surprise prepared for her. At noon a splendid scramble dinner was served, over forty being present to enjoy the feast. After the appetizing dinner Mrs. Dixon president of the Corps, was elected to present the gift the members had for Mrs. Stewart. Mrs. Dixon on behalf of the ladies present gave to Mrs. Stewart a handsome velvet handbag, accompanied by a graceful little speech asking its acceptance. Mrs. Dixon, also, on behalf of Mrs. Julia Myers, presented to Mrs. Stewart a pair elegantly embroidered, hemstitched pillow cases, and on behalf of Mrs. Frank Stitzel presented to her, a fine silk umbrella. Mrs. Stewart was completely nonplussed for some moments, but soon regained her composure, and strove to express her thanks in words for the beautiful gifts which are greatly appreciated. One of the features of the pleasant affair was the large fine birthday cake, which held 63 lighted candles. Upon dispersing, the company voted this one of the most enjoyable gatherings experienced in a long time, and wished that more might follow. Mrs. Stewart was loaded with good wishes for many happy returns of her natal day.

St. Agnes Guild.

St. Agnes Guild will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Charles Chandler.

Marquette Party.

Two hundred and twenty-five couples attended the most successful and enjoyable party in the twenty years' history of the Marquette club at the Rosbrook hall last evening, and when that is said the completeness of the affair is expressed, for the Marquette parties have always been of special moment.

The hall was especially well decorated. Streamers of the club colors, green and white, were festooned from a large square design in the center of the ceiling, to all sides of the room forming a beautiful canopy over the merry dancers, and the orchestra stand was enclosed in three arches, each prettily decorated. A large basket of flowers was suspended in each of the arches.

The music furnished by the Marquette orchestra was the subject of much favorable comment, and the many and enthusiastic encores during the evening testified to the satisfaction which the dancers felt. The musicians gave an excellent concert before the dance commenced. Many out of town guests were present at the party.

Among the out of town guests at the party were Wm. Collins and Jack Kane of Chicago; Walter Levi, Aurora; Mr. and Mrs. E. Sheets, Sterling; Miss Ruth Haley, Olive Menz, Marie Smith and Walter Kelly and Ralph Thorp, Rochelle; Victor Corson, Monroe, Wis.; Ed Cortright, Rock Falls; Fay Emerson and Pat Bacon, Oregon and Henry Mosher of Deer Grove.

W. R. C. Meeting

The regular meeting of the W. R. C. was held Monday afternoon in their hall and a large attendance was present to enjoy the excellent program given to commemorate the birthday anniversary of General Ulysses S. Grant, one of the great heroes who ever blessed the United States.

The program given was as follows:

Piano solo—Miss Eva Lawton
Reading—Mrs. Mary Mosholder
Violin solo—Miss Marcelle Kent, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. W. G. Kent.

Address, "The Life of Grant," John H. Byers, Secretary to Congress man McKenzie.

Vocal solo—Miss Lillian Heffley.
The members of the W. R. C. and the other guests present, felt singularly fortunate in having with them on this occasion, Mr. Byers, who gave a very entertaining and instructive address on Grant, one of the national heroes, whom our American people will ever take pride in honoring. Mr. Byers is very patriotic and the W. R. C. and the G. A. R. delight to have him with them and speak to them on gala occasions.

After a most interesting and delightful afternoon the company dispersed.

A. F. & A. M. to Meet.

There will be a regular meeting of Friendship lodge, A. F. & A. M., this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Important business will be transacted.

Attended Party.

Misses Helen and Isabelle Bogue of Chicago are guests of their sister, Mrs. Royce Hess, and attended the May party last evening given by the Marquette club.

Guests Return Home.

Mrs. DeKay of New York and Mrs. Dr. Chase of Rock Island, who have been guests at the A. K. Trusdell residence, left for their homes today.

St. Agnes Guild May Ball.

The closing party of the series given by St. Agnes Guild will be held at Rosbrook hall Monday evening, Apr. 29th, with the Marquette orchestra furnishing the music. The decorations which gave the hall such a gala appearance for the Marquette party, will, through the courtesy of that club, be left in place, adding to the springlike appearance of the hall. Everything points to a large crowd for the party, which will be informal.

Five More Lessons in Course.

There will be five more dancing lessons in the spring course of lessons being given by Mrs. Collins of Chicago, and on May 25 the season will end with a cotillion for the children, and on Monday, May 27, there will be an informal for adults.

Over 200 favors will be used for the children's cotillion and a beautiful party is being planned. There will be a May pole dance, and an exhibition by twelve members of the fancy dancing class. Only those children who attend the following five lessons will take part in the cotillion, and as there are about 50 in the class the spectacle should be pleasing. All of the lessons from now until the close of the term will be held in Rosbrook hall.

The schottische and short Boston will be taught at tomorrow evening's lesson, as well as the waltz and two-step for beginners. Last Friday evening so much interest was shown in the short Boston that the schottische was left until tomorrow evening. The regular informal will be held tomorrow night following the class, and additional musicians will furnish the music for it.

Scramble Supper.

Messrs. and Mesdames Charles Stillely, Lew Edwards, Chas. Anderson, J. M. McCleary formed a theatre party at the Family last evening and later were delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McCleary on North Galena avenue, at a scramble luncheon.

Mrs. Eustace Entertained.

Mrs. T. H. Eustace entertained at dinner this evening at the Nachusa House.

Missionary Society to Meet.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. A. L. Barlow tomorrow at 3 p. m.

Thimble Party.

Mrs. Clyde Thompson and Mrs. Allen Buckaloo will entertain with a thimble party on Saturday, May 4th, at the home of Mrs. Allen Buckaloo of North Galena avenue.

Married Today.

Today at high noon occurred the marriage of Mary Belle Beatrice Metcalfe of 7151 Eggleston avenue, and Francis Joseph Servatka. The ceremony was performed at St. Bernard's by Rev. Bernard Murry, pastor.

The bride wore a smart lavender broadcloth suit and imported hat to match. Mrs. John William Donohue of 4543 Michigan avenue, a cousin of the bride, was matron of honor, and John Servatka served his brother as best man.

The wedding was a quiet affair, confined to only members of both families. Mr. and Mrs. Servatka left at once for New York, from where they sail Saturday for a wedding trip abroad.

The many friends of Miss Metcalfe in Dixon wish her much happiness and extend to her husband congratulations. She spent a large share of her life in this city, where she resided with her mother on First street.

Supper After Dance.

Misses Alice Williamson, Hazel Graves and Wilhelmina Seyfarth and Messrs. Kelly, Thorp and Hoveda of Rochelle after attending the Marquette club party were entertained at supper at the home of Miss Graves in North Dixon.

Invincibles to Meet.

The Invincibles will meet on Saturday afternoon at the home of Misses Altman.

Luncheon at Preston's.

Many of the guests of the Marquette club party were entertained at luncheon at Preston's cafe. The various other lunch rooms and cafes also did a thriving business.

AMBOY SECTION

Amboy, Apr. 25—Ed Hogan of chapel.

Freeport is here visiting his mother and sisters.

Henry Hillison of Bradford was in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Mynard went to Lee Center today to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mynard.

Miss Lina Clark of Sublette was here yesterday shopping.

Misses Edna Coates and Anna Ayres, who have been visiting Mrs. Roy Brown of Oneida, returned home last evening.

Mrs. David Getty Dead.

Mrs. David Getty, a former resident of Amboy and mother of Mrs. Benjamin Ross of this city, died in Freeport on April 22, 1912, aged 89 years. The lady was brought here yesterday for burial in Prairie Repose cemetery. Services were held in the

At Burrs Home.

Miss Marie Kelchner of Harmon is a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Margaret Burrs, in this city and she also attended the Marquette party last evening.

For Miss Smith.

Mrs. E. J. Finkler entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Smith of Peru.

Harned Elected Delegate.

Frank Harned of Winnetka, formerly of this city, a brother-in-law of City Clerk Blake Grover, was elected delegate to the national convention of Railway Mail Clerks, to be held in New Orleans.

Sewing Circle to Meet.

The Sewing Circle of the Ladies of the G. A. R. will be entertained tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Anita Gibson, 1118 North Galena avenue.

W. C. O. F.

The W. C. O. F. will hold their regular meeting in the K. C. hall tonight.

Rebekahs to Meet.

The regular meeting of the Rebekahs tomorrow evening will be of special moment, inasmuch as it will be the anniversary of the founding of the order. Seven candidates will also be initiated.

CITY IN BRIEF

—Wall paper cleaning a specialty for the next week or ten days. Work guaranteed. Phone 562 for prices.

Mrs. George Brookner went to Sterling this morning to spend the rest of the week with friends.

George Bowman of Sterling was a business visitor in this city yesterday.

J. F. Hessling, a Sterling real estate man, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

James Jarvis, W. P. Cochran, J. J. Hitzelberger and Joseph Karl of Sterling were visitors in this city last evening.

Albert Davidson of Polo was a visitor here last evening.

Ezra Hoffman and daughter Florence of Sublette visited with Dixon friends yesterday.

Mrs. George Carpenter of Amboy was a visitor in this city Wednesday afternoon.

—Special sale until May 1st of all trimmed hats, at Mrs. Miller's new millinery store, 314 W. First St.

Charles Buckingham of Amboy was in this city yesterday on business.

Rev. A. B. Whitcombe has returned from Sycamore where he attended a two days' meeting of the Episcopal deanery of this district.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sheez and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore of Sterling were visitors at the Marquette party last evening.

Pat Bacon of Oregon visited Dixon friends last evening.

Mrs. Walter Hackett and daughter of Rock Falls are here visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles C. Wild, 1601 First street.

August Schafer of Ashton was in Dixon yesterday transacting business.

Miss Agnes McFadden, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Katherine McFadden, in Amboy for a few days, returned to Dixon yesterday, accompanied by her sister, who will visit her for a short time.

W. F. Graves went to Chicago today.

Pupils Went to LaSalle.

Tuesday morning the commercial geography class of the high school, twenty-four in number including the junior class and part of the senior class, went to LaSalle to spend the day visiting mines and manufacturing plants. They were accompanied by Prof. Beattie and Miss Cavins. They took the special train which carried the Knights of Pythias to their annual convention in LaSalle. The young people put in a very enjoyable and profitable day.

Mrs. John Hook and Mrs. B. Arand went to Dixon yesterday.

Rev. Father Porcella was in from Maytown yesterday.

Misses Schreiber and Erma Tilton of Ashton were here last evening attending the Marquette party.

W. D. Rowand of Polo was here yesterday on business.

Henry Cummele has gone from LeMars, Ia., to Topeka, Kas.

Mrs. Robert Cowles returned to her home in Bloomington today after a few days' visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Stephens.

Walter Kelly, Chick Healley and Jeff Furlong of Rochelle were here last night to attend the Marquette May party.

Fay Emerson, E. P. Bacon, Art Lundstrom and Stew Baker were here last night from Oregon to attend the Marquette May party.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Noble went to Chicago last night for a short visit.

G. E. Boynton was in Amboy yesterday on business.

Mrs. John Dille will return to Chicago tomorrow after a few days' visit with her mother, Mrs. Crabtree.

Mrs. A. W. Harms returned last evening from a visit with friends in Davenport.

Mrs. Cook of Polo visited in Dixon today.

Mrs. John Hann and daughter were here from Ashton today.

C. S. Vincent of Fuller & Fuller Co., wholesale druggists of Chicago, was here today.

Leonard J. Bertoli of Morrison-Plummer, Chicago, wholesale drugs, called on Dixon trade today.

Dr. W. R. Parker was called to Sterling last night on professional business.

Harland Hyde leaves for Duluth, Minn., Friday evening of this week to accept a responsible position with the Northern Pacific Railroad company.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Euseberg and son of Ashton spent the day in Dixon.

James Sickels is here from the west for a short visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Byers are visiting with friends and relatives in Sterling today.

H. W. Eigenmann, who has been visiting his brother here for a few days, returned to his home in Evansville, Ind., yesterday.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

Michigan must now be added to the list of states in which equal suffrage campaigns are pending: Oregon, Nevada, Kansas, Wisconsin, Ohio and New Hampshire. The bill has been approved by both houses of the legislature and will be submitted to the voters at the regular election in November.

The Arizona state senate, now in session has passed by unanimous vote, a joint resolution submitting a woman's suffrage amendment to the state constitution to the voters. The governor also recommended it in his inaugural message.

HARD COAL STRIKE OVER

Miners Have Agreed to an Advance of 5.20 Per Cent.

New York, April 25.—The strike in the anthracite coal regions, according to information received here, is virtually settled. The miners have agreed to an advance of 5.20 per cent. over prevailing wages and the only point still open is the method of applying the advance. The 5.26 per cent. increase is the same given to the bituminous miners in the west which went into effect yesterday.

Japan's Ruler Gives \$5,000.

Tokyo, Japan, April 25.—The emperor has given 10,000 yen (\$5,000) to the Oriental association's school in recognition of its valuable services in giving special training to workers in Formosa, Manchuria and Korea.

FRIDAY And SATURDAY SPECIAL

On Friday and Saturday, April 26th and 27th We will place on Special Sale

200 Yards 22 inch Silk Foulard, pretty stripe and figured patterns in navy, brown, tan and light blue shades. This is an excellent quality silk and sold regularly at 60 cents per yard.

Special for This Sale per yard 39c

1 Lot of Burmah Silks in pretty shades of blue, tan, rose and grey—This material is woven of silk and linen and resembles Rajah. Very good value at 48 cents per yard.

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HARD ROADS IN CHINA TOWNSHIP

TWO CARS OF CRUSHED STONE RECEIVED BY HIGHWAY COMMISSIONERS.

Franklin Reporter: The steam roller, which has been stored here by the state highway commission since last fall, was loaded on a flat car on Saturday and shipped to Mokena, Kankakee county, where work was commenced. Two carloads of crushed stone were received by the China township commissioners and this was unloaded and spread over the roads.

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SCOOP THE CUB REPORTER



Better to Owe It to Him, Scoop, Than to Beat Him Out of It

DEMENTTOWN

The wise man does not let his wife hear him boast that he is a good manager; she knows better.

Dementtown people are anxiously awaiting word from the city officials as to whether or not the ave. is to be repaired this spring. If so, it would be well to have it done soon, so the street can be oiled again.

The most optimistic man in Dixon has been found. He is the fellow—and his friends will know who we mean—who put some fly paper in the chair, and then laughed when he forgot himself and sat down on it.

The average politician is said to cherish a secret ambition to become a statesman just as soon as he can afford to purchase an open face carriage and team of spirited horses.

Incidentally, has anyone yet seen Edythe?

If she is found we know a party who would like to buy her.

It is now considered safe to take off the heavy red flannel underwear.

Goose Hollow Letter.

Hi Perkins, our popular speaker and dealer in frogs, etc., reports that business is on the jump. His wife is now collecting alimony from four husbands and that, together with the frog business is putting Hi on easy street.

Skid Purdy should be killed or deported. He is forever telling what Bryan would have done had he been president and the worst of it is that no one contradicts him. And present indications are that no one will ever have a chance to throw some of his assertions up to him.

He Should Have Passed.

The story is told of a well known local man that one night during the winter he went to church with his better half and, as in former years he had been known to be afflicted with a church, his presence caused great pleasure on the part of the pastor and pillars of the church.

But this man, Blank we will call him, fell asleep soon after the services started and his dreams turned to his favorite game. The sermon went on and a testimony meeting was started. Still Blank dreamed happily. He had a slight knowledge of hearing the preacher say:

"We will now close the meeting with prayer and will Mr. Blank lead?"

Sleepily Blank roused himself and shouted: "It ain't my lead; I just dealt."

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Only a Boy.

A local business firm recently employed a new office boy and although he nearly gave his boss heart failure the second morning he worked, he is still on the job. It appears that the boy was moving slowly around the office whistling, while the Old Man was trying to digest an important letter. Finally he turned and yelled impatiently:

"Boy, don't whistle at your work." To which the kid smilingly replied: "I ain't working, sir; I'm just whistling."

STEWART.

Mrs. Atherton and sister spent several days last week at Waterman with their sister.

Mrs. J. P. Yetter and daughter Rubie spent a few days in Chicago last week.

Mrs. Zeno Wise and daughter, Isabel left Thursday for their home at Fairchild, Wisconsin.

A big vote was cast Saturday afternoon at the school election for Lucian Hemenway who was elected successor to E. L. Titus.

Mrs. Tom Richardson of Davis Junction, spent a few days here last

HOW GIRLS
MAY AVOID
PERIODIC PAINSThe Experience of Two Girls
Here Related For The
Benefit of Others.

Rochester, N. Y.—"I have a daughter 13 years old who has always been very healthy until recently when she complained of dizziness and cramps every month, so bad that I would have to keep her home from school and put her to bed to get relief.

"After giving her only two bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound she is now enjoying the best of health. I cannot praise your Compound too highly. I want every good mother to read what your medicine has done for my child."—Mrs. RICHARD N. DUNHAM, 311 Exchange St., Rochester, N. Y.

Stoutsville, Ohio.—"I suffered from headaches, backache and was very irregular. A friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and before I had taken the whole of two bottles I found relief. I am only sixteen years old, but I have better health than for two or three years.

I cannot express my thanks for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I had taken other medicines but did not find relief."—Miss CORA B. FOSNAUGH, Stoutsville, Ohio, R. F. D., No. 1.

Hundreds of such letters from mothers expressing their gratitude for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has accomplished for their daughters have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Company, Lynn, Mass.



week at the home of her grandfather A. B. Titus who remains seriously ill.

The Presbyterian choir of Rochelle, will give a musical at the Fertile Valley church Friday evening April 26.

Roy Nelson who has had charge of the Neola elevator here for several years will go to Tampico where he will have charge of the Farmers elevator.

Rev. Nazarine took for his text Sunday evening the disaster of the Titanic.

Miss Mary Phillips of Dixon who is teacher at Byron spent Saturday and Sunday here with her aunt Miss Nellie Lazarus.

John Yetter, Sr., of Mt. Morris called on friends here Monday.

Supt. L. W. Miller conducted the final examinations here Monday.

Mrs. L. A. Herrick went to Dixon Tuesday to spend a few days.

CHICAGO ROAD NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. John Huyett were Dixon visitors on Friday.

Ed. Kinney was in Dixon Tuesday. The school election Saturday night was pretty well attended. Mr. Hollister was elected director.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hoyle entertained Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Miller and family at dinner on Sunday.

We are sorry to say John Huyett is having some pretty bad luck. Two of his best horses have spinal meningitis. Dr. Roup of Franklin Grove is attending them, however, and has hopes of both recovering.

Louis Scott was so unfortunate as to lose a horse Tuesday night, and as another one injured her shoulder it leaves him short of work horses.

Most of the oats crop is in the ground around here. But we are beginning to wish that "beautiful spring" the poets are singing about would respond with a little more warmth of feeling.

Lou Phillips, the Eldena grocery man started on this route last week.

Dramatic
Notes

FAMILY THEATRE

It was a difficult task to select a program sufficiently attractive to follow the exceptionally strong show appearing at the Family theatre the first half of the current week, but Manager Bristow announces that a great surprise is in store for his patrons, for he has been especially fortunate in securing the Four Magnani's with their European Musical Barber Shop novelty, also Hoynes and Hoynes, in a singing and whistling novelty, and last but not least, Princess Regina, the noted Gypsy Violinist, and by special arrangements a series of moving pictures that are right up to the minute will be offered.

OLYMPIC—CHICAGO.

In keeping with the record already established for long runs at the Olympic theatre, it is not unlikely that Thomas W. Ross will continue during the summer in Winchell Smith's comedy, "The Only Son," which begins the seventh week of his present Chicago engagement next Sunday. No other play in which Mr. Ross has yet appeared seems to have combined the many qualities with which "The Only Son" is endowed, since nearly every character runs the gamut of emotion, from tears to laughter.

The story of the wayward son renouncing his scapegrace life is given an entirely new and interesting setting in this comedy, which is being played in a day when prodigal sons are conventionally characterized.

Men and women prominent in public affairs are praising the play and among the communications recently

received is one from John G. Oglesby, lieutenant governor of Illinois, who says:

"I thoroughly enjoyed the performance. The play has that virility and vigorous impulse in its story which holds one's interest to the final curtain. The moral is certainly a good one and should appeal to parents and children alike, because of the wonderfully human picture it paints and through it all the generous supply of subtle comedy is applied to relieve those passages of pathos and rob the heart throbs of tears."

The same excellent cast of players, including Mary Ryan, Lizzie Hudson Collier, Fay Wallace, Campbell Gollan, Henry Weaver, John Junior and others, continue to enjoy the success they helped Mr. Ross make of his latest vehicle.

NEWS OF ILLINOIS

A Telegraphic Chronicle of
State Happenings.

ACCUSED BY LILLIAN RUSSELL

Walter Harder is Arrested in Rock Island on a Federal Warrant—Charged With Demanding \$200 From Actress.

Rock Island, April 25.—Charged with demanding \$200 from Miss Lillian Russell, Walter Harder, a young mechanic, was arrested here on a federal warrant charging misuse of the mails. He is said to have written a number of letters to the actress at Chicago. Miss Russell turned the letters over to the post office department. Harder was taken to Peoria to be arraigned before the United States commissioner. He is believed to be affected mentally.

Pastor Would Head Police.
Canton, April 25.—Rev. W. T. Kessinger of the United Brethren church of this city has filed application for the position of chief of police with Mayor Fox, whose new appointees will be named the first Tuesday in May. Kessinger says he would like to have a chance to clean up the town. He intends to retain his pulpit, and says he can handle both positions. The mayor has not announced his appointments, but it is understood another man is slated for police chief.

Smokers Invade Zion City.
Zion City, April 25.—Defying the injunction, "No smoking allowed here," posted on a sign at the entrance to Zion City, a gang of workmen, smoking pipes, cigars and cigarettes, walked through the streets while a crowd of the followers of the late John Alexander Dowie surrounded them in an attempt to put the offenders out. The officials of the city decided to hold a special service next Sunday to pray for the reformation of all tobacco users.

More Time on Monument.
Springfield, April 25.—Contractors in charge of the construction of the monument at Andersonville, Ga., in memory of Illinois soldiers of the Civil war, who died in the prison, will have until October 1 of this year in which to complete the monument. The shaft is virtually completed, but a few details remain, and the Andersonville Monument commission, at a meeting at the capitol, decided to extend the time.

Eastern Illinois Homeopathic Meet.
Charleston, April 25.—The Eastern Illinois Homeopathic Medical society held its semi-annual session here. The meeting closed with a banquet at the Charleston hotel. Those who spoke were: Dr. Julius A. Toren, Chicago; Dr. N. Starr, Charleston; Dr. G. Murne Fellow, Chicago; Dr. John Ewing, Tuscola. Dr. James J. Rose, Marshall, is president, and Dr. M. H. Whitlock, Charleston, secretary.

Boy, Hit by a Discus, Dies.
Macomb, April 25.—John Duncan, a first-year student in the Macomb High school, died after having been hit on the head by a discus thrown in athletic practice by Wayne Chadderton, a fellow freshman. Duncan's injuries were at first thought slight, but a few hours after receiving the blow on the temple he lapsed into unconsciousness



and later died of concussion of the brain.

McLain Leads for State Job.
Springfield, April 25.—William H. McLain, No. 855 South Illinois street, has qualified in first place for the position of statistician for the state board of administration. Ten others are on the eligible list. The examination was conducted to obtain a successor to the late Dr. Frederick Wines.

Insurgent Woodmen Victors.
Springfield, April 25.—The insurgent down-state Woodmen won a big victory when the bill prohibiting any raise in rates was passed by the house of representatives by a vote of 83 to 6. The bill also provides that there shall be no raise in rates by the Woodmen without a referendum.

Six Killed in Mine Explosion.
Madisonville, April 25.—Six lives instead of five are now believed to have been lost in an explosion followed by a fire in the Coal Coal mine near here. Four bodies, including those of Joseph Hollowell, the mine foreman, and three negro miners, were found.

Orleans Pastor Gets New Place.
Jacksonville, April 25.—Rev. Norbury W. Thornton, who for two years has been pastor of the Pisgah Presbyterian church at Orleans, has resigned to become field secretary for the Williams & Vashit college at Aledo. He will enter on his new duties May 15.

Illinois Pioneer Woman Dies at 72.
Bloomington, April 25.—Mrs. James Franklin, well-known pioneer of Lexington, dropped dead at her home, aged seventy-two. Two children, Mrs. C. T. Stevens and Mrs. E. G. Hayes, both of Chicago, survive.

Open Kewanee Elks' Home.
Kewanee, April 25.—Among the speakers at the dedication of the \$50,000 home of the Kewanee lodge of Elks was Everett Jennings of Chicago.

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In A Railroad Wreck

A large shipment of Lady's High Grade Shoes, shipped March the First from New York by Express to Ford's Cash Shoe Store was wrecked in Indiana and did not arrive until March 30. The shipment contained the Famous Lady Health Shoe, Tread Easy with Cork Cushion sole and hollow rubber heel, the gypsy cut Nurse for tender feet, the Ford's Special \$3. those shoes are in high and low heels in Goodyear welt and hand turned. All width from A to EE button and lace, Blucher's up-to-minute in style. We have decided to put on sale April the 1st at the following low prices:

Tread Easy, sale price \$3, regular price \$3.50
Nurse shoe, " \$2.65 " \$3.00
Ford's \$3 Special, " \$2.65 " \$3.00

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READY TO DECIDE ON ASYLUM SITE

MEMBERS OF ADMINISTRATION BOARD TO LOCATE BIG HOSPITAL.

The location for the new million dollar hospital for the insane which the state is to erect, will be selected by the state board of administration within the next month, probably in a few days. The inspection of proposed sites is practically completed and it remains only for the members to satisfy themselves individually on the various locations offered. Some of them may desire to make a few more trips to see places which have been visited by other members of the board, but this will occupy but a short time.

Seventy-eight cities have asked for the hospital and all of them have been visited by members of the board. Of course no one member has seen all the sites.

Divide State for Inspection.

As soon as it became apparent that so many cities would ask for the hospital the state was divided up, some of the members agreeing to visit part of the sites while the others went to other places.

In spite of the large territory each of the members visited two-thirds of the cities.

Not the least hint can be gained as to the location that is likely to be selected. In fact the members of the board themselves say that they have not decided on any place. Each member has his individual preference and the location will be determined at a conference.

LOSE VALUABLES IN TITANIC MAIL

POSTAL DEPARTMENT HAS ORDERS ABOUT RECOVERING MONEY.

Persons who were expecting money orders and registered mail on the Titanic are at a loss as to the best method to pursue in recovering the losses.

Instructions have been received in the local postoffice concerning the loss of thousands of dollars worth of international money orders on the Titanic. It is urged that every office shall try in every possible way to identify the payee, where attention is called to the fact that a money order was expected on the ship and did not reach Dixon.

It is thought by the government officials that the persons sending the money orders to this country and believing they were on the wrecked steamer will write to the ones to whom the orders were sent and they in turn will notify the nearest postoffice. It will be several days before any notice of missing money orders will be received, if any at all come.

It is said that over 200 sacks of registered mail went down with the ship and in the mail was thousands of dollars in money orders.

AMBOY PUPILS VISIT DIXON

CIVICS CLASS INSPECTED THE COURT HOUSE, POSTOFFICE AND ELKS' BUILDING.

The civics class of the Amboy high school yesterday came to Dixon in charge of their teacher, Prof. George Pettit, principal of the school and they made a thorough tour of the offices in the court house for the purpose of learning the various ways in which the finances and court work of the county are carried on. County Treasurer Frank Vaughan escorted the party through the court house and also took them through the Elks' clubhouse. The party was also escorted through the postoffice by Assistant Postmaster Ed. Cahill, and City Clerk Blake Grover showed them through the city hall. The students thoroughly enjoyed the trip to Dixon and the places they visited. Those in the party were Susan Boyce, Katherine Kehoe, Sarah Wright, Mary Abbott, Charles Tennant, Dennis McCoy, Francis Morrissey, Marvin O'Sahn and Frank B. Vaughan.

If it were possible to dissolve the sugar trust it would have been done long ago in its own water.

It is to be hoped that the lesson of the Illinois primaries is still soaking into the brains of the reactionary U. S. senators.

Don't count your delegates before they are hatched.

J. BRUCE ISMAY AGAIN RAPPED

Fifth Officer Lowe Says He Interfered With Lowering of Lifeboats.

TITANIC INQUIRY HINDERED

Senator Smith Says a Meddlesome Attempt Is Being Made to Influence Course of the Committee—Taft in New York Benefit.

The Canadian steamship Mount Temple is reported to have been near enough to the Titanic on the night of the disaster to see her sinking. The Canadian government is investigating the report.

Washington, April 25.—J. Bruce Ismay, managing director of the White Star line, came in for another scoring at the senate investigation here when Fifth Officer Lowe of the Titanic declared that it was Ismay's frantic appeals for haste that retarded the lowering of several Titanic lifeboats on the night of the disaster.

Lowe did not charge Ismay with cowardice, but did assert that the head of the line was a badly frightened man without any idea of self-possession and a positive reactive force to the officers and crew in their work of getting the passengers off the sinking liner and into the lifeboats.

During the arraignment Ismay cringed before the battery of eyes leveled at him and seemed to feel keenly his unenviable position. The facts in the case were dragged out of Lowe by Senators Smith and Burton, the officer at first making an unwilling witness against the virtual head of the line. When the senators at last succeeded in making him talk, however, he told a story which was full and complete.

Smith Charges Hampering. Chairman Smith of the sub-committee created a sensation when he charged that "outside influence" was at work attempting to retard the work of his committee. Senator Smith refused to disclose the identity of the men he charged with hindering his work, contenting himself with saying that those interested would be wise to take warning from the statement he issued.

That witnesses are being tampered with and members of the crew threatened with the wrath of the White Star and its associated lines in the International Mercantile Marine was the gist of the Smith charges. The chairman said he had encountered numerous difficulties in his work and had run against many obstacles in the task of getting passengers to give their side of the story. The difficulty in drawing a complete story from Fifth Officer Lowe was one of the points cited to illustrate Smith's contention regarding the crew.

Another sensational point was when Chairman Smith announced that his special deputy in New York had taken Quartermaster Hitchens of the Titanic off the White Star liner Celtic just before that boat started for Liverpool. Hitchens is the quartermaster who has been the object of wrath from more than one of the survivors. He was in charge of a lifeboat, and is charged with being intoxicated, with swearing at the men and women in his charge, and with refusing absolutely to take aboard more passengers struggling in the water after the wreck, when there was sufficient room in the lifeboat for more people.

Notables in N. Y. Titanic Benefit. New York, April 25.—Under the patronage of President Taft, the duke and duchess of Connaught and persons prominent in New York society, a memorial service for the benefit of the relatives of the Titanic's victims will be held at the Metropolitan opera house next Monday night. The program will include an address by Bourke Cockran, the singing of "The Lost Chord" by Caruso and Brahms' "Requiem" by the Oratorio society, accompanied by the Philharmonic society. William Macdonald will be presented with a gold tablet of honor wrought by Prince Troubetzkoy.

Medal for Captain of Carpathia. Washington, April 25.—Congressman Sulzer of New York has introduced in the house a bill authorizing the secretary of commerce and labor to have struck a suitable medal to be awarded Capt. H. A. Rostrom of the Carpathia for heroic work in saving lives from the wreck of the Titanic.

Bremen Saw Hundred Bodies. New York, April 25.—More than 100 bodies of the Titanic dead were seen floating on the water by the steamer Bremen, which has arrived here from Bremen. The German liner on April 20 passed over the place where the Titanic went down.

From the bridge officers of the ship saw over a hundred bodies floating on the sea, a boat upside down, together with a number of small pieces of wood, steamer chairs and other wreckage. As the cableship Mackay-Bennett was in sight, and having word that her mission was to look for bodies, no attempt was made by the Bremen's crew to pick up the corpses.

Pioneers Die Similar Deaths. St. Joseph, Mo., April 25.—John Francis Metcalf, aged eighty-two years, and Charles A. Cornelius, eighty, pioneers, are dead as the result of blood poisoning. Metcalf's death was caused from a scratch on the ear by a peach twig and Cornelius died from stepping on a rusty nail.

Striking Creations In Separate Coats

We have never before shown such wonderfully becoming styles in Spring Coats as those which we have just received from Bischof. There are dozens of new attractive touches that make them totally different from anything you have ever seen.

Fancy Buttons, Odd Shaped Revers in white and other light colors, Deep Cuffs, Novel Side Trimming and Buttoning Effects, Straps, Slashings, have all been employed in making these coats so unusual.



New Lot of Ladies' House Dresses and Wrappers just received-- Prices \$1 to \$3 50



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A large, liberal sized tube sold for 50c. Try it today on our guarantee. STERLING'S PHARMACY.

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Tell Her PARISIAN SAGE Will

Quickly Stop it.

No preparation can grow hair on bald heads if the hair root is dead. PARISIAN SAGE however will stop it.

No preparation can grow hair on bald heads if the hair root is dead. PARISIAN SAGE however will stop hair from falling, will banish every particle of dandruff and do away with scalp itch or Rowland Bros. will refund your money.

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50 cents for a large bottle at Rowland Bros. and druggists everywhere.

PREVENT DISTRESS AFTER EATING

Two or three Digestit tablets after eating will prevent or quickly relieve that full, uncomfortable feeling—try it. If it fails, your money will be refunded. Brown's Digestit is a certain quick relief and permanent remedy for all stomach upsets—relieves indigestion instantly. Little tablets easy to swallow, absolutely harmless—50c.

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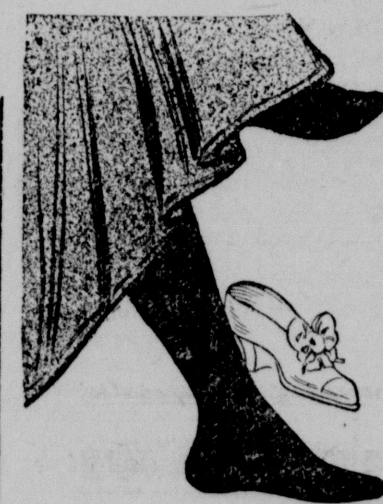
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Come in and let us show you the superiority of "Karpen" leather goods.

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Don't Darn Your Stockings Any More



Put your darning basket away in the closet—you won't need it for six months when you buy the first box of Holeproof Hosiery.

Darning is now almost a thing of the past. For with every box of "Holeproof" we give a written guarantee to replace any pair that needs darning in six months. Instead of taking out your darning basket you merely take out a coupon and get a new pair of hose free—isn't that simple?

FAMOUS Holeproof Hosiery FOR MEN WOMEN AND CHILDREN

The makers pay an average of 70 cents a pound for the finest Egyptian and Sea Island Cotton Yarn. Common hose are often made from cotton at 12 cents a pound. Yet the common hose sell for the same price as "Holeproof."

"Holeproof" uses 3-ply in the body and 6-ply in the heels and toes. Ordinary hose are made from 2-ply yarn throughout. You pay no more for "Holeproof" but it wears six times longer.

Come in and see this hosiery. Note the style and comfort—see how light and soft it is. Buy one box and try it. Note how it hugs the ankle. Then, if you can, continue using the common hosiery.

We have a complete assortment of sizes and colors. They are very smart. Prices are 6 pairs for \$2, and 6 pairs for \$3—guaranteed six months.

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SAFETY SYSTEM MAKES SHOWING

COMMITTEE OF NORTHWESTERN MAKES GOOD REPORT FOR FIFTEEN MONTHS.

Ralph C. Richards, chairman of the central committee of the Northwestern railroad, has made a report on the benefits achieved by the safety committee of that road. A copy of the report is posted in the local station, showing what has been accomplished. The following are the results in brief:

During a period of 15 months, ending April 1 last, there were 70 fewer persons killed and 3549 fewer injured on the railroad than during a period of 15 months ending December 1, 1910.

The data shows that 1790 fewer trainmen were injured from Jan. 1, 1911, than during the 15 months' ending Dec. 1, 1910.

The New York Medical Journal makes the announcement that card playing is injurious to the mind. It does not explain how it found the material that was necessary for experimenting.

ending Dec. 1, 1910. The safety plan went into effect on the Northwestern Jan. 1, 1911. As compared with the previous 15 months there was a reduction of 532 per cent in trainmen killed and 71.4 per cent in car repairers killed.

So far as passengers are concerned a comparison of the 15 months record shows 12 fewer passengers were killed and 176 fewer injured.

The wonder of it is that anybody can be tempted to read a spring poem while the papers are so full of box scores.

Senator Culom with 48 years of honorable record as a public official of which over 30 was as a senator from Illinois has been retired by his constituents in disgrace because he voted against expelling Lorimer from the senate. Bailey of Texas was sharp enough to learn what Texas thought of his similar vote before he felt the toe of her shoe on his anatomy.

Col. Roosevelt says that if he is beaten this time he will try again. Another of Bryan's policies purloined, by heck!

A political dark horse isn't anything to make light of.

BOY'S CLOTHES THAT ARE STYLISH AND SERVICEABLE



Mothers will be pleased with the Spring Styles in boy's clothes that we are showing now. They will be pleased with the wear these clothes give too. The boys will be pleased with the neat patterns and mannish cuts that prevail this spring. The Prices are in accord with the fine quality and range from \$2.50 to \$10.00.

VAILE AND SMALLEY



You Are Welcome to a Complimentary Demonstration—

Whether you are "ready to buy just now" or not—if you already have a player piano of another make—even if you have no intention of purchasing, we want you to come in and hear the Apollo render your favorite selection.

This is more than a mere statement that "you'll not be urged to buy". It is a guarantee that we will gladly give you (and your friends if you choose to bring them) an absolutely complimentary demonstration of the Apollo Player Piano. The motive back of it all is the pride we take in the instrument and the love of music which inspires your visit.

Then, too, we honestly believe, and with reason, that Apollo music is its own best advertising. That—after you have heard the Apollo Player Piano, you will be willing and ready at all times to endorse it. And—if you ever are in the market for a player piano yourself, you'll consider the Apollo first of all.

In the fidelity of its reproduction of the playing of great human artists, the Apollo stands alone. It strikes down on the keys with a touch that brings out all the music the piano key is capable of—with a touch that far surpasses that of many human musicians. Then that vital and heretofore impossible achievement—accenting the melody or omitting it altogether at will, is correctly and easily accomplished with the Apollo.

The Metronome Motor enables you to forget the music roll entirely and devote your entire attention to getting the utmost out of the composition. It rewinds the rolls without pedaling, too.

The Tempograph gives you positive control of time and—but what's the use of trying to tell you in cold type when a call will give you so much clearer an idea of what the Apollo Player Piano really does.

Pay that visit the first time you're down our way. Just say, "I've dropped in for a complimentary demonstration of the Apollo". We will gladly give it. If you love music you'll be glad you came.

Theo. J. Miller & Sons

APPEAL STILL RUNNING.

The Telegraph is in receipt of a letter from J. B. Stackpole calling attention to the fallacy of statements which have been published throughout the country to the effect that Appeal to Reason has suspended publication. He reports that this week's edition of the Appeal was 2,751,500 copies.

ASKS MAYORS TO ASSIST IN PASSING MARINE LAW

Mayor Gaynor of New York has issued a circular letter to all the mayors of the nation, asking the mayors to urge congressmen and senators to pass the bill introduced in congress regulating the passenger carrying boats leaving American ports. A letter from Mayor Gaynor was received here this morning by Mayor W. B. Brinton.

STERLING AND ROCK FALLS DENTISTS TO ATTEND

Advises from Sterling and Rock Falls this afternoon were to the effect that a number of the dentists of those cities would come here tomorrow to hear the free lecture on Teeth and Health at the opera house, to which the public is also invited.

PENALTY GOES ON DELINQUENT TAXES SOON

Those people who have not paid their taxes as yet should get them paid before next Wednesday, May 1. All taxes not paid by that time will have an extra one per cent added as penalty.

Mrs. Ralph Joynt, who has been visiting relatives and friends in this city, has returned to her home in Havana.

JONES PLANS FOR A SHORTER BALLOT

RECENT CANDIDATE FOR GOV-
ERNOR PROPOSES START-
LING CHANGES.

Plans for reducing the number of state and county officials to be voted for were announced yesterday by Walter Clyde Jones, state senator from the fifth district, who intends to work for them in the legislature. He proposes that the governor, lieutenant governor and state treasurer shall be the only state officers elected; that the secretary of state, attorney general, auditor and superintendent of public instruction shall be appointed by the governor; that the state board of equalization be abolished and a tax commission appointed by the governor with the consent of the senate.

He also proposes that three county commissioners shall govern the county and be, with the states attorney and county treasurer, the only elective official board. He would have the county commissioners appoint members of the board of review and assessors under the civil service law and also the sheriff, county clerk, recorder, surveyor and other county officials. The clerks of the circuit, superior, criminal, probate and municipal courts are to be appointed by the judges of the respective courts and elected at a separate judicial election in June.

MRS. MCCLANAHAN FUNERAL HELD WEDNESDAY P. M.

Many friends attended the funeral of Mrs. V. D. McClanahan which was held yesterday afternoon at the Morris & Preston chapel. Rev. Altman officiated and burial was at Oakwood. Among those from out of town who attended the services were Mr. and Mrs. Tobias Hough and son Harry, Mrs. Wm. Railing, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fike and daughter Vivian and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Olin of Milledgeville.

Jacob Harnish of Rockford visited friends and transacted business here today.

DECLARES WINGERT IS NOT ELIGIBLE

MT. CARROLL PAPER SAYS HE
COULD NOT HOLD OFFICE
IF ELECTED.

The Mt. Carroll Democrat says it now transpires, according to statements of some of the attorneys of this district, that even if A. F. Wingert, brother of Attorney E. E. Wingert of this city, had been nominated and was elected to the state senate he could not serve. It is claimed the constitution provides that a man in order to be eligible to the office must have resided in the state five years, and in the senatorial district two years continuously. Mr. Wingert several years ago left the state with his family to reside in Seattle, Wash., where he moved his household goods and opened a law office for the practice of his profession, losing, it is claimed, his residence in Illinois and he must again live here five years before he can hold the office for which he was a candidate.

Still Time for Contest.

These lawyers say that the time for starting a contest has not passed and will not until five days after the official canvass of the votes of the entire district is made by Secretary of State Rose.

Each county clerk certifies the official canvass of the county to the secretary of state who in turn makes an official canvass simply by adding the votes as certified by each county clerk from the district obtaining the total and then certifies back the result to each county clerk. In this way the name goes on the ballot for the November election. A contest can be started within five days after the secretary of state has made his canvass. Thus Mr. Wingert still has time to bring a contest and we understand it can be brought in any of the three counties for all of the counties and in case a recount is granted the count will all be done at the place where the contest was first commenced.

Attorney Walter N. Haskell of Sterling was in Dixon today on business.

NEW YORK FATHER SEEKS HIS MISSING LITTLE BOY

George Joseph, of Lackawanna, N. Y., has written this paper asking that newspapers of this country assist him in finding his son Joseph Joseph, a Syrian boy 7 years of age who disappeared from his home in October, 1911, and for whose recovery he offers a reward of \$1,000. The boy, whom it is believed was stolen by a band of gypsies, is about 3½ feet tall, weighs between 40 and 50 pounds, stocky built, has large black eyes, black hair and dark complexion. Teeth are bad, two upper and one lower missing.

Tendency to Overdress

The tendency of elder high school pupils to overdress is attacked by the bureau of education, in a circular written by J. H. Painter, a high school principal of Dayton, Ohio. He points out the tendency of children of poor families to leave school because they are unable to dress like more favored schoolmates. Younger pupils endeavor to appear more mature than they are, he says which robs them of an important part of childhood.

TWO YEAR OLD BABY DIED FROM BURNS

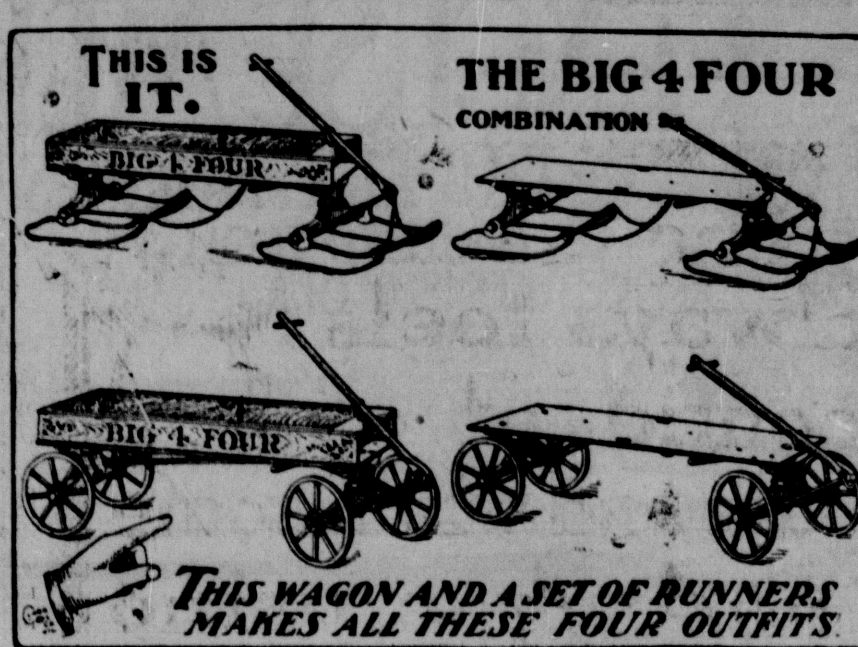
Mary, the two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Monari of Cedar Point died Tuesday morning at 4:30 o'clock, following painful injuries she received on April 12, when she accidentally fell into a tub of hot water.

BOY SCOUTS WORK FOR LOCAL OPTION

The boys scouts of Stoughton, Wade, their scout master, carried Wisconsin, under the Rev. J. G. on a campaign recently against the sale of intoxicating liquors in that town. They made an appeal to all voters interested in the welfare of boys who fought against saloons in their city. The city went dry at the election.

Charles Ross of Amboy was in this city today.

Mrs. W. R. Kerr and Master Billie of Chicago are expected this evening for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Dodge.



BUY YOUR BOY A WAGON

that won't break. These are the genuine WHITE Wagons---The original and superior to all others---six sizes.

\$1.35 to \$6.50.

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Our installment Stock offers a safe and profitable investment for systematic saving.

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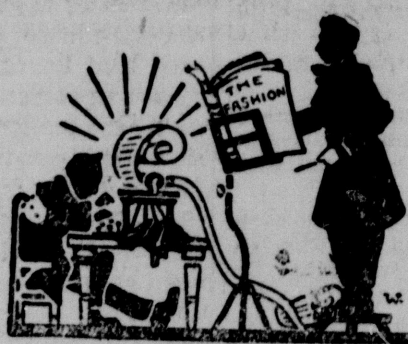
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If you want individual clothes instead of the average, ordinary kind, you'll want the clothes we're showing.

We've eliminated the "average and ordinary" from our dictation and display only models of superior distinction and tailoring.

Priced from \$10 to \$30 with particular values at \$15 and \$22.50.

Some New Hats just in today.

New Shirts that are worth seeing.

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Richards Co.**

She's A Winner



The tailored-to-order girl always is. She has that distinction—that individuality—that fashionable appearance that only man-tailored-to-order clothes can ever give.

The many stylish garments which I have made for the ladies of Dixon and vicinity is a sufficient guarantee of my workmanship and should be an inducement for you to place your order at once.

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New Wilton Rugs

At from \$12.00 to \$25.00 we show more and better value rugs than you ever saw.

Elegant French Wiltons \$45 & \$55.

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'Want Ad.Rates'

25 Words or Less, 3 Times...\$2.50
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Ads in this column must positively be paid for IN ADVANCE. Money Order, Checks or Stamps must be enclosed in orders by mail.

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A man who wants to buy a horse, or a vehicle; or used furniture, machinery or office furniture—like the man who wants to buy a home, is eager to find the best possible BARGAIN!
Your ad, if you have something to sell, will find readers awaiting it who want to buy—and who will investigate your offer if it looks at all feasible.

WANTED

WANTED. Poultry of all kinds. Highest market price paid. Enquire of Leonard Blass, residence, 701 N. Ottawa Ave., Dixon. Home Phone No. 13433. 16mo*

W. Rubenstein, wholesale and retail dealer in iron, brass, wooden and cotton rags, rubber and metals, furs, hides and wool. Home Phone 413. Place of business, 114 River St., Dixon, Ill.

WANTED. Work by the day; sweeping or washing. Mrs. Anna Coakley, 716 College Ave. 85tf

WANTED. Repair work, by the Dixon Umbrella Company. Will Gibbons, Agent. 49tf

WANTED. A live, competent man to represent them in Dixon and vicinity. High grade contract. Address, Manufacturers & Merchants Life, Rockford, Ill. 68mo1

WANTED. All kinds of market horses bought and sold at Reed & Burright's Livery Stable. Phone 26. 94tf

WANTED. Girl for general housework! Enquire of Mrs. D. F. Rein, both, Amboy, Ill. 95tf

WANTED. A few washings. Will call for and deliver, or work by the day. 611 Jackson Ave. 956*

WANTED. A place to board two children, 3 and 4 years old, for about one month. Mother taken to hospital. Call Telegraph office. 973*

WANTED. Agents for the best house hold novel on the market. You can make \$8 per day and up. Call between 6 and 9 p. m. and 8 to 9 a. m. at Nachusa House. Call LeRoy. 973*

WANTED. Man with \$50 to invest to take up local agency. Best thing on the market. Call LeRoy at Nachusa House. Call between 8 to 9 a. m. and 8 to 9 p. m. 973*

WANTED. Ladies to demonstrate for old reliable firm. Good salary. Commission and car fare to willing workers. Address H. W. Co., Care Telegraph. 973

WANTED. Good outside painter, at the Dixon Paint Store, 107 Hennepin Ave., Dixon, Ill. 973

FOR SALE.

Six choice Red Pole and Durham milk cows for sale, with an average yearly milk record of 8,000 lbs for the past three years; also five grade Holstein heifers coming three and four years old, daughters of the above cows. They are all milking, and are bred to a pure bred Holstein sire, whose sires and dams all have advanced registered official daughters to the fifth generation. I. B. Countryman, Dixon, Ill. 926*

FOR SALE. Thirteen choice thrifty pigs. Fred Drew, Route 1. 956

FOR SALE. Strawberry plants; and White Leghorn eggs for setting. Good laying strain, some birds scoring from 93 to 95 points. Chas. Hey, R. 3, Phone H 111. 9312

FOR SALE

FOR SALE. Garden seeds in bulk, timothy seed, clovers, Mammoth, Medium, Alsike, alfalfa, rape and awn seed; seed potatoes. Baby chick and poultry supplies. Alfalfa hay. Geo. D. Laing. 8124

As farmers in Canada are going broke and land prices tumbling no one will buy it. I have talked and advertised for ten years that only a bird or less of either of the Dakotas was good for farming and the good part of S. D. too high to buy. The last two crops show what is best. Cavalier county had crops in 1910 that paid for the land and also in 1911. 1912 promises much better and I will still give you a chance to pay for a farm with one crop. As an investment land here will pay better interest on \$100 in acre than land in Ill. at the prices it is selling at as there so much of the rent has to be paid out for taxes, improvements and insurance. Having been here over ten years I predict Hundred Dollar land here in five to seven years. The farmers here are buying it and they are making money faster than any other farmers in the world.

FOR SALE. Gentle horse, perfectly safe for women to drive. Call phone 13434 after 6 o'clock. 963*

FOR SALE. Eggs for hatching, from Barred Plymouth Rocks. Ringlet Strain. 40c for 15. Mrs. B. M. Rolph, 1123 Highland. Phone 14509. 976

E. A. WADSWORTH, Langdon, N. D. FOR SALE. Gravel and sand. Will furnish it anywhere, in this city or elsewhere. Ben McWilliams, telephone 13. 307 Grant Ave., Dixon. 79tf

FOR SALE. S. C. Buff Orpingtons, Martz and Owen strains, Houdans faultless strain, four buff and four Houdan cockerels for sale reasonable. Both breeds winners of the blue at Mendota show; eggs from both breeds for sale at \$1.50 and \$2 per 15, fertility guaranteed. John C. Taylor, Steward, Ill. 821jun12

Nathan Hill, Breeder of High Scoring, Heavy Laying White Wyandottes that won silver cups, medals, diplomas, chip specials and 83 ribbons at Dixon, Mendota, LaSalle, Polo and Aurora. 1st pen Cockerel scores 95 1-2, females to 96. Eggs \$1, \$2, \$3; chicks, 15, 30 and 50 cents. Write or phone for mating list. Phone A 6. Nathan Hill, Dixon, Ill. 9024*

FOR SALE. A second hand refrigerator. Enquire at the Bee Hive. 963

FOR SALE. Household furniture and stove. Enquire 414 Peoria Ave. 963

FOR SALE. 5 room cottage, nearly new; furnace and gas; corner lot, 66x132, corner Pine St. and Walnut Ave., Hines Add. Will H. Phillips. 74tf

FOR SALE. Choice "Hundred Old" seed potatoes. R. Route 5. Phone 8210. Call Glen G. Burkett. 926*

FOR SALE. Maxwell runabout, in fine condition. Enquire at Joe Miller's Garage. 92tf

FOR SALE. Gravel, sand and black dirt. Easy place to get in and out of. Come and see me before you buy elsewhere. Phone 12680. 956*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT. Strictly modern house. Apply J. A. Forrest. 85tf

FOR RENT. 7 room modern house furnished with gas and electricity. Located at 404 West 3rd St. Call Telephone No. 13648. R. D. Adams. 185f

FOR RENT. Select your outing dates now for coming season at Needham Lodge, George J. Schmidt. Phone 14553. 956

FOR RENT. A lot for gardening. Call at 919 First St. 956

FOR RENT. Two fine rooms for rent in Shaw Building. Hardwood finish, electric lights, city water. Strictly modern. Enquire at the Evening Telegraph Office. 9312

FOR RENT. Several desirable office rooms in the Bells Building over the City National Bank. Ready for occupancy about June 1st. For terms inquire of S. C. Eells or H. C. Warner. 946*

FOR RENT OR SALE. House of six rooms at 1222 W. Sixth St. Enquire of Jacob Egler or F. E. Stitley Co. 973*

LOST

LOST. A Boy Scout's knife. Bobbie Shaw, Bluff Park, Phone No. 5. 85tf

LOST. Will the person who by mistake took umbrella (large black one with name Mrs. E. H. Thomas printed inside) from the meeting of the D. A. R. on last Saturday afternoon please return it and receive her own, which she left in place of the other? Mrs. T. H. Eustace, Nachusa House. 84tf

The Kinds of Lies.

A Chicago university professor, after exhaustive research, has discovered there are ten different kinds of lies. Under his classification there are the fantasy or fairy tale lie, the vainglorious or boasting lie, the defensive lie, the heroic lie, the white or permissible lie, the society lie, the business lie, the art lie, and the adulterative lie.

Her Responsibilities.

It is a woman's privilege to change her mind, is a time-old saying. All privileges carry great responsibilities. If she has power to change her mind, she has absolute control over her thoughts. And if they be impure, or mean, or shallow, or false, or ungenerous, she alone is to blame.

Professions Taught Free of Charge.

There is just one country in the world where the highest education is free and that country, surprising as it may seem to those who read this, is Chili. There every profession is taught in the most modern methods by the best authorities with no charge whatever to natives.

Guiding Angels.

We speak with awe and tenderness of our guardian angels; but have we not all had our guiding angels, who came to us in visible form, and recognized or unknown, kept beside us on our difficult path until they had done for us all that they could?—Lucy Larcom.

Not Intentional Crime.

"You are charged with poisoning this lady's pet dog. I shall deal severely with such ingratitude. She testifies that she had just given you a mince pie." "I didn't do it intentionally, judge. I did feed him a piece of de pie."

Eternal Fitness of Things.

It is pretty generally agreed that a man should dress according to his station. This means, perhaps, that a man with a low salary should not wear a high hat.

Reward Worth Deserving.

Taking everything together, there is no reward that is quite so lasting and satisfying as the good will of our fellow-men.—The Christian Register.

Begin at Home.

Everybody wants to reform somebody else, but the citizen's first duty to the state is to reform himself.

(OFFICIAL PUBLICATION)

Report of the Condition of the Union State Bank

located at Dixon, State of Illinois, before the commencement of business on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1912, as made to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois pursuant to law

RESOURCES.	
1-LOANS:	
Loans on real estate	\$ 79,469.36
Loans on collateral	54,524.82
Overseas and discounts	126,736.19
2-DEPOSITS:	
State, county and municipal bonds	30,255.00
Public service corporations	1,000.00
Other bonds and securities	11,000.00
3-MISCELLANEOUS RESOURCES:	
Banking houses	14,232.34
Real estate other than	
banking houses	4,238.56
Furniture and fixtures	4,930.55
Na.ional	4,454.21
4-CASH ON HAND:	
Currency	4,700.00
Gold coin	1,425.00
Silver coin	2,408.00
Minor coin	2,467.00
5-OTHER CASH RESOURCES:	
Premium on bonds	1,223.75
Checks and other cash	826.14
Items	1,355.42
6-COLLECTIONS IN TRANSIT	3,797.31
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$413,117.84
LIABILITIES	
CAPITAL STOCK PAID IN	\$ 50,000.00
SURPLUS FUND	12,000.00
UNPAID PROFITS	
Less current income tax	
Expenses and taxes paid	2,781.31
7-DEPOSITS:	
Savings, subject to notice	11,927.67
Demand, subject to check	117,022.88
Time certificates	85,223.60
Certified checks	37.35
Cashier's checks	318,556.50
Other liabilities	9.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$413,117.84
I, H. L. FORDHAM, Cashier of the Union State Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
H. L. FORDHAM, Cashier	
STATE OF ILLINOIS,	
COUNTY OF LEE,	
Subscribed and sworn to me this 24th day of April 1912.	
C. H. Gray, Notary Public	

"IN A BAD WAY"

Many a Dixon Reader Will Feel Grateful for This Information
When your back gives out, Becomes lame, weak or aching; When urinary troubles set in, Your kidneys are "in a bad way" Doan's Kidney Pills are for sick kidneys.

Local evidence proves their merit. Mrs. C. Charlton, 77 Peoria Ave. Dixon, Ill., says: I was in poor health for some time and the result of disordered kidneys. My back bothered me a great deal, being very weak stiff and lame. I tired easily and had various other symptoms of kidney complaint. Finally I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Leake Bros. Co.'s Drug Store and their use soon relieved me." (State ment given April 14, 1909)

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When Mrs. Charlton was interviewed on January 5, 1910 she said "Doan's Kidney Pills brought permanent relief in my case. You may continue to publish my testimonial."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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Butter 28@33
Lard 11-14
Chickens 15@18
Oats 50@53
Corn 70@73
Eggs 16@19
Potatoes 1.25@1.50

BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

FURNISHED BY C. P. HER-
RICK—SHAW BLDG.
C. D. Anderson, Local Manager.

Range of Prices on Chicago Board of Trade:

Chicago, Apr. 25, 1912

Wheat—

May 114½ 114½ 113½ 114½

July 110½ 110½ 109½ 110½

Sept 106 106½ 105½ 106½

Corn—

May 80½ 81 79½ 80½

July 77½ 78½ 77½ 77½

Sept 75½ 76½ 75½ 75½

Oats—

May 57½ 58½ 57½ 57½

July 54½ 54½ 54½ 54½

Sept 44½ 44½ 44½ 44½

Pork—

May 1830 1850 1830 1850

July 1875 1882 1867 1880

Lard—

May 1035 1050 1035 1050

July 1060 1070 1057 1070

Ribs—

May 995 1002S 995 1002

July 1025 1030 1022 1030

Hogs open slow to 5c lower. Left over—13,700.

Mixed—725 to 777½.

ood—750 to 780.

Rough—725 to 745.

Light—725 to 770.

Cattle steady. Sheep strong.

Receipts Today—

Hogs—20,000.

Cattle—3,000.

Sheep—10,000.

Hogs close strong, 5c higher.

Estimated tomorrow—14,000.

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TIME TABLE

Dixon, Illinois.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight: Daily.

*Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.

*123 Express 11:15 a. m.

*131 Clinton Exp. 5:10 p. m.

*191 Amboy Fri. 8:50 a. m.

North Bound.

*132 Ft. Dodge Exp. 9:50 a. m.

*124 Local Mall 5:30 p. m.

*193 Freeport Fri. 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago

6 3:21 a. m. 6:45 a. m.

10 5:46 a. m. 8:30 a. m.

24 6:23 a. m. 9:05 a. m.

28 7:21 a. m. 10:15 a. m.

8 8:33 a. m. 11:30 a. m.

14 10:55 a. m. 1:30 p. m.

20 11:15 a. m. d'ly ex Sun 2:40 p. m.

18 4:04 p. m. d'ly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.

100 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:25 p. m.

1 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon

17 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:14 a. m.

99 7:30 a. m. Sun only 10:43 a. m.

13 9:30 a. m. 12:06 p. m.

19 12:30 p. m. ex Sun 3:43 p. m.

27 4:35 p. m. 7:29 p. m.

*11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.

25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.

*1 8:30 p. m. 11:07 p. m.

7 10:16 p. m. 12:53 p. m.

8 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.

801 Peoria Pas. Lv. Dixon 8:35 a. m. ar. Peoria 11:53 a. m.

*Denver Special.

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DIXON, CITY

West Bound East Bound

Read Down Read Up

10:30 50 Assembly Park 20:50 10

13:30 53 Galena & Fellows 27:47 7

17:37 57 Galena & First 23:43 8

20:40 60 Office 20:40 60

30:50 10 Depots 10:30 50

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CAMPANILE RESTORED

Dedicate Beautiful Bell Tower
of St. Mark's at Venice.

The Impressive and Magnificent Ceremonies Conducted by Officials of City and Church.

Venice, April 25.—The new campanile of St. Mark's, a restoration of the beautiful bell tower which collapsed on July 12, 1902, was dedicated today with most impressive and magnificent exercises conducted by the officials of the city and church. Among the throng of spectators were artists and art connoisseurs from all parts of the world, an especially honored guest being J. Pierpont Morgan, who contributed generously toward the fund for restoring the architectural marvel which stood for 900 years. The city was beautifully decorated and the gondolas gliding along the canals were gay with flowers and bunting.

After its crash to the pavement of St. Mark's, the famous campanile resembled the ruins of an ancient palace razed by dynamite. Bricks, ten times the size used in the present age, were broken in scores of pieces; Sansovino's Loggia, and its famous statuary group were shattered to fragments and the bronze decorations of the building were crushed and twisted out of shape. Yet, after nine years of unceasing toil, each stone has been restored, each artistic embellishment placed together, and now, with its great bells recast and tested for tone, the ancient building again rears its white marble dome 325 feet above the street, identical in almost every part with the old bell tower that stood for nearly a thousand years the most remarkable example of the Italian renaissance extant.

TO PREVENT TUBERCULOSIS

\$150,000 Structure for That Purpose
Dedicated by Governor Wilson.

Farmingdale, N. J., April 25.—In the presence of a number of philanthropists and physicians, Gov. Woodrow Wilson today dedicated the new tuberculosis preventorium which has been erected here at a cost of about \$150,000.

The preventorium is the only institution in the United States where tenement children are saved from contracting tuberculosis by being taken in time from homes in which other members of the family have already contracted the disease.

AWAITING TITANIC DEAD

Friends and Relatives in Halifax Pending Mackay-Bennett's Arrival.

Halifax, N. S., April 25.—Friends and relatives of those who were lost in the Titanic disaster are here to await the arrival of Mackay-Bennett with the dead. The vessel is reported to be returning with 70 or 80 bodies. She will probably reach port tomorrow afternoon or early Saturday. Captain Roberts of New York is here representing the family of Col. John Jacob Astor and S. S. Wallach is representing the family of Henry B. Harris, the theatrical man.

Plant Tree Where King's Tree Died.
New York, April 25.—A royal English oak tree has been set out in Central park as the official successor of the one planted by the late King Edward VII, when he visited the United States in 1860. The king's tree died in 1908.

Sioux City Buys E. J. Slaughter.
Sioux City, Ia., April 25.—The Sioux City Western league team has purchased E. J. Slaughter, a pitcher, from the Louisville club in the American association.

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He Wasn't an Angel.

During one of the earlier discussions of the United States tariff in the Canadian parliament, an opposition member characterized the attitude of the government on the question as "a sight that would make angels weep and jackasses laugh." The Hon. Frank Oliver, who was then minister of the interior, replied, with his usual deliberate calmness: "I have observed that the honorable gentleman has been one of those who laughed."—Judge.

Eating Fish in Lent Aided Navy.
The connection between fish eating during Lent and a strong navy may appear remote, but to Elizabethan statesmen it seemed vital. So much so that a law was passed commanding everyone to eat fish on every day of Lent. The reasons set forth for this enactment made no mention of religious observance. It stated the queen needed ships for defense and the fishing industry furnished men at all times in readiness for her majesty's service.

To Make the Boy Orderly.
If you want your boy to be orderly provide him with a place of his own wherein he may keep his baseball implements, sporting paraphernalia, tools and the thousand and one other articles dear to his boyish heart. The possession of a locker to which he alone carries the key is sure to stir the pride of every ambitious boy, especially if he is allowed to build it.—Housekeeper.

Rich Haul by Forgers.
The Bank of Naples (Southern Italy) has recently been the victim of fraud to the extent of \$160,000, by means of genuine checks, the figures of which, however, had been cleverly altered and augmented with the aid of chemicals and a perforating machine. The trickster, of whom there is no trace, had checks cashed simultaneously at the branch offices in Turin, Florence and Rome.

Deep Childish Reasoning.
Father (to Margery, who has been a long time fetching the newspaper)—When you're asked to do anything, Margery, you should always run. Margery—Yes, I will, daddy; except, of course, I can't when my legs ache. Father—Rubbish; your legs never ache. Margery (indignantly)—Hoo! what's the use of the word "ache," then?—Punch.

Shaving Among the Ancients.
Shaving was practiced among the Egyptians early in the eighteenth century before Christ. The first mention of it in the Scriptures is in Genesis, where Joseph made a hasty toilet when called to go before the king and "shaved himself." Nearly a century later shaving the head is mentioned. Ezekiel (B. C. 595) alludes to the "barber's razor."

SATURDAY SPECIAL

Another lot of pretty Embroideries and Laces. All priced at about one fourth regular values Here are some sample prices:

2000 yards Embroidery and Insertion to match, some of the "showiest" patterns of the season, excellent quality of swiss, perfect work, widths up to seven inches

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Electricity for Gotthard Railway.
Work is to begin shortly on the electrification of the St. Gotthard railway and the first piece of line to be electrified will be that between Erstfeld and Airolo. The cost of electrification of the Gotthard line is put at \$2,700,000, from which, however, the sum of roughly \$220,000 must be deducted for new rolling stock necessitated not because of electrification but by increase of traffic. The three new power stations which must be built, one in Amsteg, one in Goshenen and one, the largest, on the Ritom lake, near Pletta, will cost \$284,800; the necessary electric installations in the machinery houses, etc., another \$205,200, while a considerable sum is allowed for unforeseen contingencies.—Exporters Review.

Not a Member of the Troupe.
A ten-twenty-three company was making a long road jump. The members were scattered all through the train, according to Harry Miner, the lithograph manufacturer. The conductor found the manager, who handed him the tickets for the whole outfit and left the conductor to pick out the actors and actresses for himself. Asleep, curled up in a plush seat of the smoker, the conductor came on an elderly person in a fur trimmed overcoat and tan gaiters. He shook him by the shoulder until the sleeper opened his eyes. "Belong to the troupe, I s'pose?" said the conductor. The traveler was wide awake instantly. "No, sir!" he snorted indignantly—"coterie, sir; coterie!"—Saturday Evening Post.

Woman Called On to Save Flags.
Mrs. Amelia Fowler has been called on to help in preserving the 150 flags captured in battle by the United States navy. These flags are kept at the naval academy, and were falling to pieces, when Mrs. Fowler was invited to Annapolis to make an investigation of their condition, and suggest the best means of preserving them. Mrs. Fowler estimates that it will cost in the neighborhood of \$30,000 to preserve the flags. She would back the flags with fine Irish linen, sewing them by expert needlewomen, with fine silk thread. The material will cost \$1,500, and the work will require the services of 100 women 200 days. Mrs. Fowler is an expert authority on the making and preservation of flags.

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